

Brimer, Dorothy

(Malmgren)



Dorothy Brimer *June 1348*

Mrs. Dorothy M. Brimer, 518 Eighth street, Petaluma, daughter of Mrs. B. H. Malgren, enlisted this week in the Women's Army Corps at the U. S. army recruiting station, 444 Market street, San Francisco.

Pvt. Brimer is a graduate of the Petaluma high school, majoring in art. Her husband, Pvt. John D. Brimer has been stationed at an army post in Texas two years. She has enlisted in the army air forces, and hopes to be assigned to duty in her home area, upon completion of her basic training.

Pvt. Brimer leaves for Fort Des Moines, the WAC training camp, June 17.



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**Dorothy Brimer** 44

FORT DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 31. — Private Dorothy M. Brimer, 518 Eighth street, Petaluma, is a member of a Women's Army Corps unit which recently left first WAC training center here, for duty with the army at Hamilton Field, California.

WAC units now are at work with the army on more than 268 posts in all 48 states, the District of Columbia, and in Africa, England, Italy, India, New Caledonia and Hawaii.

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With WACS *Sept 6-44*



Dorothy M. Brimer, who enlisted in the WACs on June 17, has completed her five weeks of training and is now at Des Moines, Iowa. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Malgrem of 518 Eighth street, Private Brimer graduated from the Petaluma high school. Before enlisting she worked at Mare Island for 15 months then at Hamilton Field.



## Pvt. Dorothy Brimer Spends Thanksgiving With Parents *Nov 28-44*

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Malmgren of 518 Eighth street, were happily surprised when their daughter, Pvt. Dorothy Malmgren Brimer, and her friend, Pvt. Margaret Saban, arrived here for a Thanksgiving day visit. The girls, who are WACS on duty at the Santa Maria airbase, flew up to Santa Rosa last week in a B-26. Pvt. Brimer is assigned to an office in the big hangar at Santa Maria and her friend is a photographer. They spent their three-day pass at the Malmgren home, enjoying a Thanksgiving dinner with the family.

Present at the family gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Malmgren, Alice, Robert and Helen Malmgren, Pvt. Brimer, Pvt. Saban and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Roberts. The dinner was made a double celebration for Helen, whose 10th birthday occurred on November 25. Mrs. Roberts made a beautifully decorated birthday cake, which was inscribed, "Happy Birthday, Helen."

Pvt. Brimer has served with the WACS for about three months since she finished her "boot training." She was stationed at Hamilton Field for about a month before she was transferred to Santa Maria.



Dorothy Brimer

Feb 5-45

Pvt. Dorothy Brimer, a WAC on duty at Santa Maria, arrived home Thursday to spend an 18 day furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Malmgren, 518 Eighth street. She is enjoying a visit with her relatives and friends. She is enthusiastic about her work as a switch-board operator in the flight engineering department at Santa Maria.

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Dorothy Brimer *Apr 1945*

SANTA MARIA, Calif., Apr. 19  
—Dorothy M. Brimer, daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Malmgren,  
518 Eighth street, Petaluma, Cal.,  
was promoted to the grade of  
PFC, it was announced recently  
by Col. Barton M. Russell, com-  
manding officer of the Santa Ma-  
ria army air field. She is as-  
signed as a clerk-typist at this  
Fourth air force field where she  
has been stationed since Septem-  
ber 12, 1944.

Prior to her enlistment on  
June 6, 1944, Pfc. Brimer was  
employed as a stenographer at  
the Mare Island Navy Yard, Val-  
lejo, Calif.



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**Dorothy Malmgren** *June 23-45*

PFC Dorothy Malmgren of the WACS, who is stationed at P-38 aid base in Santa Marie, where she is a switch board operator, flew up from the south to Fresno and from that city came here by train to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Malmgren, 518 Eighth street. Dorothy has been in a hospital in the south ill with pneumonia and also had a tonsil operation. She leaves Sunday to resume her duties at the air base.

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**Dorothy Malmgren Brimer** 45 86-19  
Pfc. Dorothy Brimer (nee Malmgren), WAC, of Petaluma, is now with the separation center at Ft. Bliss, Tex., where she is assisting in the task of discharging soldiers. In the service for 16 months and possessor of the good conduct ribbon, Dorothy has been transferred from the air corps. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Malmgren, 518 Eighth street, who last week received a letter from her in which she told of the transfer and her new location.